

INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT

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PCT/NZ2004/000142

A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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According to International Patent Classification (IPC) or to both national classification and IPC

B. FIELDS SEARCHED

Minimum documentation searched (classification system followed by classification symbols)

IPC: A23

Documentation searched other than minimum documentation to the extent that such documents are included in the fields searched

Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

WPIDS: casein, whey, dairy protein, cheese, yoghurt, dessert, pudding, texture, gel

C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

Category*	Citation of document; with indication, where appropriate, of the relevant passages	Relevant to claim No.
X	US 5 714 182 A (Bisson <i>et al</i>) 3 February 1998 whole of document	1-11, 16-21
X	EP 162 498 A1 (Stichting Nederlands Instituut Voor Zuivelonderzoek) 27 November 1985 whole of document	1-8, 11, 16-21
A	US 4 519 945 A (Ottenhof) 28 May 1985 whole of document	
A	US 4 713 254 A (Childs <i>et al</i>) 15 December 1987 whole of document	

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EP	782 825	AU	41883/96	NO	971582	US	2002031600
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		FI	971298	US	6495194	WO	1997005784

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